

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 1615**



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**PATENT**

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In re Application of:  
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For: A METHOD TO INCORPORATE N-(4-HYDROXYPHENYL) RETINAMIDE IN LIPOSOMES

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**I. AMENDMENT; AND II. RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION**  
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Commissioner:

Applicants respectfully request that the following amendments be entered in the captioned patent application in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.116. Applicants submit the foregoing amendments to place the case in even better condition for allowance or appeal.

This paper is submitted in response to the final Office Action dated February 20, 2004, for which the three-month date for response is May 20, 2004.

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